

**Marino Pilgrimage to Knock** will take place on Sunday May 20th 2018. Contact: Catherine on 085-7602223 or Lorraine on 086-3900073.

**PLEASE SEE CHURCH NOTICE BOARD for details on :**

**Parish Lenten Retreat, Church of Visitation, Fairview —17th—21st March**

**PRAYER FOR THE SICK:**

Please pray for all in the parish who are seriously ill.

**RECENTLY DECEASED:**

Sr. Phil Sinnott, Harry Cullen,

Anthony Kelly, Kathryn Mulready.

**MONTH'S MIND:**

Charles O'Brien.

**ANNIVERSARIES:**

Margaret McKinley, Rosaleen & John Naughton,

Marie Kelly, Annie Bourke, Eamonn Judge,

Ted Maguire, Philomena Henry, James Dempsey,

Terry & Patrick Hanlon, Annette Mason.



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**4th Sunday of Lent - 11th March '18**

**Mass Times**

***Saturday:***

10.00 a.m. & 5.30 p.m. (Vigil)

***Sunday:***

9.30 a.m., 11.00 a.m., 12.30 p.m.

***Weekdays:***

8.00 a.m. & 10.00 a.m. (Monday to Friday)

***Eve of Holy Days:***

7.30 p.m. (Vigil)

***Working Holy Days:***

8.00 a.m., 10.00 a.m., 11.00 a.m.

***St. Patrick's Day:***

As Sunday

***Bank Holidays:***

10.00 a.m. (Church closes at 11.00 a.m.)

**Confessions:**

***Saturday:***

10.30 a.m. - 11.00 a.m. & 5.00 p.m. - 5.30 p.m.

***Thursday - Eve of First Fridays:***

After 10.00 a.m. Mass

**Baptisms:**

***1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of each month - 12.00 noon***

**Thought for the day**

What does it mean to be saved? We have the secular sense of being rescued or spared somehow. The root meaning of the word in Greek and Latin is to be healed. So, the beginning is some recognition of need, of something fractured, unwell in my life. It includes faith in God who wants us to be both whole and holy, fully alive. The big "sickness" is death itself - from which we are saved/healed through God's love to us in the lifting up of Jesus in death into resurrection.

**Prayer**

Heavenly physician, heal whatever in us is dead or wounded or unfree that we may know the wholeness, freedom, life and joy of the Gospel.

**Please return Mass leaflets and yellow notices (if not taking home) to back of Church—Thank you.**

**Hymns:**

Entrance : Page No: 11 Hymn No: 21  
Recessional : Page No: 9 Hymn No: 13

**St. Patricks Day**—Next Saturday 17th March is St. Patricks Day and is a Holy Day of Obligation. Mass will be at 5.30 p.m. on Friday (Vigil Mass) and at 9.30am, 11.00am and 12.30pm.

**Praying the Stations of the Cross for Lent:** Stations of the Cross will take place after the 10.00am Mass on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> and Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> March. The Stations or Way of the Cross is a prayerful way of reflecting on Jesus' suffering and death on the road to Calvary where he died to save us.

**Lenten Talks by Monsignor Alex Stenson** continues next Wednesday in the Marino Room at 7.30pm on "The Action of The Mass" and how we might understand and celebrate it more fruitfully. The Church's intention is that "The Faithful learn to offer themselves more fully day by day with the offering of the crucified Jesus to the Father".

**A scripture based contemplative prayer group** meets in the Oratory, Clonturk House, Church Avenue every Tuesday evening for 1 hour, beginning at 8.00 pm. **All Welcome.**

**The Society of St. Vincent De Paul** will hold their usual Church gate collection this week-end, 10th/11th March.

**The Scripture Prayer Group** meets every Thurs at 11.00am in the Annadale Room. Come and pray with the Gospel of the following Sunday.

**Eucharistic Adoration** in our parish church will take place each Monday from 3.00—4.00 p.m. **Eucharist Adoration also takes place** in the Oratory of the Rosminian Fathers, Clonturk House each Sunday night (except Bank Holiday Weekends) from 7.00 p.m. to 8.00 p.m.

### **FIRST RECONCILIATION (FIRST CONFESSION)**

Congratulations to the 2nd class boys from Scoil Mhuire who celebrated the Sacrament of Reconciliation (First Confession) for the first time at a lovely ceremony in the church at lunchtime on Tuesday. This coming Tuesday (March 13th) it will be the turn of the girls from St Vincent de Paul school so let us keep them in our prayers as they get ready to celebrate this special encounter with God.

### **Parish Lotto:**

There was no winner of the Parish Lotto this week.



The winning numbers were:

**9, 14, 15 & 17**

**The jackpot now stands at €1,800**

**Church Repository/Shop:** The Church Repository/Shop is open every Tuesday and Thursday morning after 10.00 a.m. Mass and after 11.00 a.m. Mass on Sundays. We have a good supply of sacramental mementos for boys and girls for all special occasions. **Signed Mass Cards** are also available from the Parish shop as well as the Sacristy.

**The Tea/Coffee group** will be taking a break for Easter. Finishing on Thursday 22nd March and back again on Tuesday 10th April. Our best wishes to all of you for a very Happy Easter.

**Crosscare Youth Services** Annual Collection takes place next week-end 17th /18th and will replace the usual Share Collection.

### **Concertation to Our Blessed Lady—**

On Sunday 25th March at 3.00p.m.

the Concertation to Our Blessed Lady Acies Ceremony of the Legion of Mary will take place in St. Francis Xavier Church, Gardiner Street. All Legionaries' active and auxiliary are invited to attend.

**Marino Parish Knitting Group** – the 'Knitwits' meet twice a month on the first and third Saturdays in the Annadale room from 10.30 a.m. to 12.00 noon approx. **'HELP'!!**. Can you or would you like to come to the group and find out what we do?! We knit for various Charities ..... We would make you very welcome. M. Kelly on behalf of the **Ladies**. Cup of tea and lively conversation provided! (see Church Notice Board for more details.

**As part of our Transition Year programme**, and in relation to The World Meeting of Families (Intergenerational Education), Maryfield College are endeavouring to run a "Generation Club" for five Wednesdays mornings, fostering a spirit of fun, acceptance and mutual respect starting on Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> March. Please come along and join us. See notice board for further details.